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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Naoki WATANABE

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR COPYING AND BACKUP
IN STORAGE SYSTEMS

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No.: 4787

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed June 16, 2006 on the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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